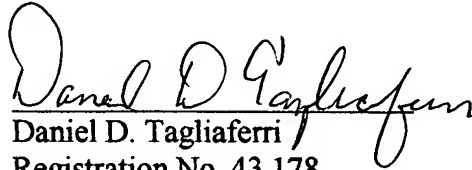


amendment. Entry of the amendments set forth in this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested. Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the Specification by this amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made."

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In the Specification:

Figures 7-9[10] show several variable-gain LNA topologies constructed in accordance with the present invention.

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